## City of Newport Beach - Building Department

## **BUILDING CODE POLICY**

Effective Date	Subject	Policy No.
January 24, 2000	Residential Smoke Detectors	UBC 310.9

All smoke detectors within a dwelling unit shall be interconnected such that all devices shall sound with the activation of any device per Uniform Building Code Section 310.9.1.4. Should an applicant propose to install a low voltage fire alarm system or fire alarm/security system in lieu of 110 volt smoke detectors to comply with UBC Section 310.9, plans shall be submitted, approved and a permit issued to insure compliance with the code and confirm the California State Fire Marshall's listing of all devices.

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